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Dear O.M.:

Your last communique calls for immediate response, so here goes. No,I'm not attending the I.R.E. convention this year. Need the money,as I'm figuring on getting a house built soon. In better years, the City will probably send me down,but N.D. on that this year,especially as election is held next week. Anyway,I've been in the Grime City before, and feel no irresistible urge to repeat the experience.

Your last letter containing the info. re Prof. Sam Snead,E.E., who ha s been in charge of the radio department at the U.Of W.X.Div. for the past eight years, and who is conducting the broadest course in radio based on engineering principles,etc., ad nauseum, was digested with disgust. Also your mention of our old enemy Egle in the latest epistle. I imagine Doc Stoekle was surprised to discover at this late date that Sam was directing his course down there,and must have made the arrangements for it,as he was in charge before Doc's time there. Also our good friends Jameson and Howell should get a kick out of this latest burst of B.S. I am sure that Snead was in no way in charge of my work while I was at the Ext.Div. I am still wondering why he isn't also a Member of the I.R.E. - that he will discover he was promoted to in the next burst,if I'm any judge. Seems strange that a man got a university degree in 1913,and didnt know it until 1932,doesn't it. I suspect that Sam has discovered that a fire at the U. of C. destroyed all the records or something. Wonder what the Registrar knows about this?

Noted in the I.R.E. year book that ElL.K. is stillassociate grade,also that Durkee apparently dropped out. Also that Sam Snead lists himself as "Head of Radio Department" now that he is the only one left.

Haven't had time or inclination to write anything for you yet. Am spending all of my time on five meter work.

Same gang still on deck here,and plenty busy.

Kepp me posted.

73,